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Wallops Senior Manager Appointed

Dr. John H. Campbell has been appointed senior manager at the NASA Goddard Space Flight Center's Wallops Flight Facility, Wallops Island, Va., and Director of the Goddard Suborbital and Special Orbital Projects Directorate. He will assume the position January 13.

Campbell said, "I am very excited with the opportunities that coming to Wallops provides. The Facility is participating in ground-breaking research projects and I look forward to being a part of this effort."

Al Diaz, Director of Goddard, said, "John is well known and respected at Goddard as well as throughout the aerospace community. This respect, coupled with his ability to think and act strategically, will be critical assets for Wallops' future."

Campbell began his career with NASA in 1987 at Goddard in Greenbelt, Md., as the Systems Engineering Manager for the Flight Systems Software Branch. He joined the Hubble Space Telescope team in 1988 as the Deputy Project Manager. He held several leadership positions within the Hubble organization and managed two servicing missions to the orbiting observatory.

In 2000, he became Director of Flight Programs and Projects at Goddard and is responsible for all flight programs and projects at the Center.

Prior to joining NASA, Campbell worked at the Argonne National Laboratory, Argonne, Ill.; Singer-Kearfott Co., Wayne, N.J.; and IBM Federal Systems Division, Gaithersburg, Md.

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He received his bachelor's degree in physics from Carnegie-Mellon University, Pittsburgh, Pa. and his master's in physics and Ph.D. in high-energy physics from Purdue University, Lafayette, Ind.

Campbell has been awarded the NASA Distinguished Service Medal, the NASA Outstanding Leadership Medal and the NASA Exceptional Achievement Medal.

Campbell is replacing Arnold Torres, who retired January 3.

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